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Claims 1-15 are now in this application, and are presented for the Examiner's consideration.

Claims 1-14 have been amended in order to change all multiple dependent claims to single dependent claims, to provide proper antecedent basis, to delete the numerals, and to positively recite the method steps and device limitations. New claim 15 has been added to include a limitation deleted from claim 2.

Please charge any additional fees incurred by this Preliminary Amendment, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-1524.

It is hoped that this Preliminary Amendment will facilitate an examination of the application on its merits.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Richard M. Goldberg". The signature is written in a cursive style with a horizontal line underneath the name.

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